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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of)	
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H. Hoshino, et al.)	Examiner: Philip Leung
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Title: CURRENT-CARRYING/HEATING)	
APPARATUS OF LIQUID FOOD)	Art Unit: 3742
)	
Serial No.: 10/774,961)	Confirmation No. 5569
)	
Filed On: February 9, 2005)	(Our Docket No. 4980-0003)

Hartford, Connecticut, September 22, 2005

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION and
REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Applicant requests a one-month extension of time, to September 22, 2005, for filing a Response to the Office Action of May 24, 2005.

In response to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 4 of this paper.

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